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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.221(b)

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Sir:

This Application was published by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 17, 2004 as Publication No. 2004-0116461-A1.

A material mistake which is apparent from the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office appears in Claim 7.

A correct copy of Claim 7 as filed is attached as Exhibit A.

Attached as Exhibit B is a copy of Claim 7 as published. An oxygen_atom "O" has been omitted.

The omitted subject matter is circled in red in Exhibit A, and is identified in red where it should appear in Exhibit B.

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Prompt republication is in order and respectfully is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT A

7. A compound as claimed in any of the preceding claims wherein R_4 represents $-C(=0)NHR_6$, $-NR_7C(=0)R_6$, $-NR_7C(=0)OR_6$, $-NHC(=0)NHR_6$ or $-NHC(=S)NHR_6$ and in these R_6 is H or a radical of formula $-Alk_b-Q$ wherein

b is 0 or 1 and

Alk is a $-(CH_2)_{n-}$, $-CH((CH_2)_mCH_3)(CH_2)_{n-}$,

25 -CH((CH₂)_mCH₃) ((CH₂)_pCH₃)(CH₂)_n-, -(CH₂)_n-O-(CH₂)_m-, or -(CH₂)_nO-(CH₂)_n-O-(CH₂)_m-, radical where n is 1, 2, 3 or 4 and m and p are independently 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4, and Q represents H, -OH, -COOCH₃ phenyl, cyclopropyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, pyridyl, furyl, thienyl, or oxazolyl. and

 R_7 is H, or when taken together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached R_6 and R_7 form a pyrrolidine-2-one or pyrrolidine-2,5-dione ring.

EXHIBIT B

7. A compound as claimed in any of the preceding claims wherein R.sub.4 represents --C(.dbd.O) NHR.sub.6, --NR.sub.7C(.dbd.O)R.sub.6, --NR.sub.7C(.dbd.O)OR.sub.6, --NHC(.dbd.O)NHR.sub.6 or --NHC(.dbd.S)NHR.sub.6 and in these R.sub.6 is H or a radical of formula -Alk.sub.b-Q wherein b is 0

or 1 and Alk is a --(CH.sub.2).sub.n--, --CH((CH.sub.2).sub.mCH.sub.3)(CH.sub.2).sub.n--, --CH ((CH.sub.2).sub.mCH-.sub.3)((CH.sub.2).sub.n--, --(CH.sub.2).sub.n--, --(CH.sub.2).sub.n--, --(CH.sub.2).sub.n--O--(CH.sub.2).sub.n--)-(CH.sub.2).sub.n--, radical where n is 1, 2, 3 or 4 and m and p are independently 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4, and Q represents H, --OH, --COOCH.sub.3 phenyl, cyclopropyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, pyridyl, furyl, thienyl, or oxazolyl. and R.sub.7 is H, or when taken together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached R.sub.6 and R.sub.7 form a pyrrolidine-2-one or pyrrolidine-2,5-dione ring.